

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 93-176-C - ORDER NO. 94-32/
JANUARY 12, 1994

IN RE: Application of Southern Bell Telephone &) ORDER
Telegraph Company for Revisions to its) GRANTING
General Subscriber Service Tariff and) REQUEST TO
Private Line Service Tariff to Introduce) TAKE ORAL
Area Plus Service.) DEPOSITION

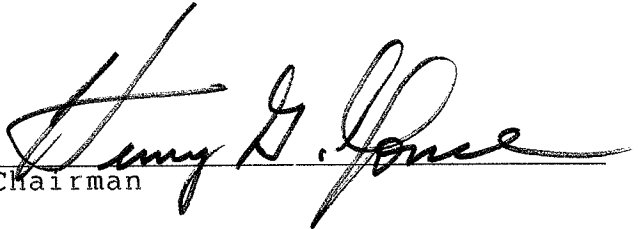
This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request for leave to take an oral deposition of a witness filed by Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company (Southern Bell). Rule 103-852 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina allows the Commission to grant permission for litigants to take depositions in certain cases. This particular request states facts sought to be established by Southern Bell, by the deposition of Gregory R. Follensbee, an employee of AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. (AT&T). Southern Bell desires to take a deposition in order to attempt to determine what impact, if any, the Area Calling Plan Principles Agreement has on intraLATA competition and/or on Southern Bell's Area Plus Plan.

An examination of the matter shows that the request of Southern Bell is a reasonable one. Therefore, it is the Commission's opinion that Southern Bell shall be allowed to take

the oral deposition of Gregory R. Follensbee at such time and place
as the deponent can be made available.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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